

THE WEATHER

FOR INDIANA—Thunder showers this afternoon in South portion; fair tonight and Saturday; cooler tonight and in South portion Saturday.

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GEN. WOOD IN FORCEFUL SPEECHES WOMEN'S CHANCES FOR VOTES THIS YEAR MICROSCOPIC

SUFFRAGE LEADERS ARE ANGRY

Much Bitterness Against Both G. O. P. and Democrats Is Experienced.

By WILLIAM PHILLIP SIMMS.
(STAFF CORRESPONDENT, N. Y. SERVICE)
WASHINGTON, April 30.—The last remaining chance of women voting in the national elections next November is hanging by a thread thinner than gauze. In the opinion of the National Women's Party leaders here today, there remains just a shred of hope that the suffrage amendment to the constitution will be ratified in time to give women a voice in naming the next president of the United States.

BARRER FROM NINE STATES.
Even were the necessary thirty-six states to ratify tomorrow, it is pointed out, the women voters of at least nine states would be barred from the polls because the last day for registering in these states is now passed. So it is that while suffrage leaders are wearing brave faces and publicly hoping for the best, they privately admit there is considerable bitterness against both Democrats and Republicans because of the delayed ratification.

ANGRY AT BOTH PARTIES.
Charges may soon be leveled against both parties for blocking national votes for women. Both are now under suspicion because of a growing belief among women that neither is over-anxious to have a heavy feminine vote cast in this election, which it is impossible to reckon on with accuracy. Admittedly, an unknown quantity, such a vote might conceivably turn upon the scrap heap the expert calculations of the professional politicians and for this reason many feminists here believe neither Republicans nor Democrats are especially anxious to have ratification.

FIVE STATE POSSIBILITIES.
Miss Alice Paul of New Jersey, chairman, with other members of the national executive committee of the woman's party, however, refuse to give in and are now engaged in leading a fervent hope charge against the amendment's enemies.
Five states continue to be regarded as possibilities and every atom of the party's strength is being brought to bear in an attempt to induce at least one of them to ratify. Two states are really needed to make suffrage sure, for while one will make up the necessary thirty-six states ratifying, Ohio may have to drop out of line of ratifying states on a legal technicality.

The five states offering more or less ground for optimism are Delaware, Louisiana, North Carolina, Connecticut and Vermont. Delaware is described as doubtful with the rest more or less. Vermont is described as a sure thing, as the chance of action in time to be of service this year.

CALL MAY DAY STRIKE
Hand-bills calling for a May Day strike and uprising were distributed through East Chicago and Indiana Harbor last night in a thorough manner and at the same time the distributors escaped the notice of all. It is believed that the distribution was made late at night.

The bills, some of which were printed in English and some in Polish, were placed in the doorways of houses and points were even placed inside the fences of some of the industries. The distribution seems to have been more thorough among the foreign quarters of the city but some bills were found in practically all parts of the city.
The East Chicago police are preparing for any disturbance and Chief O'Donnell says that any parade or Bolshevik meeting will be held only over the dead bodies of every man of the police force.

MANY REALTY TRANSACTIONS

(SPECIAL TO THE TIMES)
CROWN POINT, Ind., April 30.—Real estate transactions in Lake County do not seem to abate if the number of papers filed for record in County Recorder Johnson's office are any criterion.
On Wednesday 150 papers were filed including a deed with \$110 revenue on it, recording the sale of the Reynolds building in Gary for \$210,000, and \$50,000 mortgage on the property was also filed.
During last week 214 papers passed over the counter of the office alone, showing the vast amount of business that is being done in real estate circles.
Gary is the leading city with the other north end towns keeping up their pace accordingly.

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E. Chicago's Population Is 35,968

Federal Census Figure Show Times Estimate To Be Almost Correct.

Official announcement of the East Chicago census received this morning, which places the number of 35,968, an increase of more than 23 per cent over 1910, caused some disappointment among citizens of East Chicago and among official circles, where it was expected that the enumeration would be close to 37,000 than 36,000. The figure, however, was more than satisfying to those who had feared the city would fall short of reaching the 35,000 necessary to place it in the second class. The actual figure compares closely with the estimate by The Times in a recent issue.
A falling short of 35,000 would have been a real catastrophe for practically every citizen in the Twin Cities, especially when it was a certainty that Hammond would pass into the second class by a safe margin. East Chicago (Continued on page two.)

One Way To Get Tires Real Cheap

Monon Switchman Accused of Unloading Stolen Tires On Hammond Dealer.

Autoists who dropped into a local supplies dealer last week to purchase General tires were told by the distributor that shipments had been upheld by the railroad strike and that he had none to offer. Soon, however, reports came to him that a rival dealer was selling his brand of tires and apparently had plenty of them in stock. Then things began to happen.

Yesterday, Charles R. Terry, living on Detroit street, and who was employed as a switchman by the Monon railroad, was arrested on a charge of grand larceny. His bonds were fixed at \$1,000 which he met and was released to appear tomorrow morning in the city court. Special Agent T. Johnson of the Nickel Plate railroad, and Detective S. Singer, of Hammond Central police station were responsible for Terry's arrest after they had spent several days in unraveling the theft of hundreds of dollars of tires stolen from a Nickel Plate freight car.
Terry, it is alleged, removed the tires from the car which stood on a siding in Hammond awaiting to be re-routed to Portland, Oregon. He had previously made arrangements with the auto dealer to supply him with tires at an extremely low price after having purchased them in Chicago. The supplies man was a trifle suspicious but Terry's ingenious story coupled with the low price broke down any scruples and the deal was made. According to Terry a friend of his in Chicago, pretended bankrupt and feigning that his hidden stock might come to light, offered it to Terry to sell.
When the dealer who couldn't get the tires from the company, for which he was agent and his rival could the dealer became indignant and communicated with his Chicago office. They sent a man here to investigate. He got in touch with the Hammond police department. The dealer was questioned and admitted his purchase of the tires under shady circumstances. He gave the names of Terry and Terry was arrested.

LOWELL THIEVES ARE SENTENCED
(SPECIAL TO THE TIMES)
CROWN POINT, Ind., April 30.—The mystery of the Lowell robbery which occurred last week has been solved by the arrest and conviction of three negroes, Richard Thompson, Dewey Covan and Harry Toney, all of Chicago, who were sentenced to from 10 to 20 years at Jeffersonville by Judge Martin Smith on Wednesday in the Criminal court.

The trio entered the hardware store of Samuel Petrie in Lowell one night last week and stole \$3550 in liberty bonds and several knives and other merchandise.
They were apprehended near St. Johns and brought to Crown Point for safe keeping.

LENINE MAKES SUNDAY WORKDAY

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
LONDON, April 30.—Nikolai Lenine the Bolshevik premier, has announced that hereafter Saturday will be the weekly day of rest in Soviet Russia. Sunday will not be a holiday.

POLISH TROOPS IN NEW VICTORY

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
LONDON, April 30.—Continuing their smashing offensive northeastward, Polish troops under Gen. Pilsudski have broken the Russian lines over a wide front and captured 10,000 prisoners and hundreds of guns according to a Central News dispatch from Berlin today.

BARNES GLAD MATTER IS CLEANED UP

Peter Kalliamin, the South Chicago man who, after being sentenced to thirty days in the county jail for booze running, was given a "furlough" by the sheriff in order that he could make some repairs at his home, has been re-committed by Judge Klotz and will serve his full sentence. Sheriff Barnes today declared that there was no intention of shortening the man's sentence when he was released, but that it was understood he was to make up the lost time.

Kalliamin's sentence was deferred ten days at the time he pleaded guilty in order that he could attend to the home business, but when he found that he could not finish a building he was working on he had Charles Klose of Whiting intercede for him for a leave of absence after the commitment was made.

Mr. Barnes says it is the first case of its kind that has happened since he has been sheriff and adds significantly that it is the last time. It was only after Klose had guaranteed to return Kalliamin to jail at the time specified that Barnes gave Jailer Tom Platt orders to release the prisoner. Requests are frequently made to the sheriff to release prisoners and often the reasons have merit as in the case of Kalliamin, who otherwise would have been forced to leave a house standing on Jacks for thirty days. However, Barnes says he has always turned the pleas down until the present case.
The sheriff says that in a certain sense he is glad that the matter came to the attention of the public as it did for now the people of Lake county will know that he does not have the legal power of releasing prisoners and henceforth he will not be bothered by such requests. Judge Klotz and Sheriff Barnes talked the matter over this morning and Kalliamin was once more turned over to the sheriff with the understanding that he is to serve the full thirty days sentence.

ECHO OF STEEL RIOT IS HEARD

(BULLETIN)
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 30.—Three suits aggregating thirty thousand dollars in judgments have been filed in the United States district court here against the Standard Steel Car Co. of Hammond by administrators of the estates of three steel workers who were killed in a demonstration near the plant September 9th.
William Kavin, the international union official of Hammond, has filed the suits through Attorney Joseph Roach here. He blames the company agents for "negligently shooting."

Damages for the death of Stanley Kaish, who was killed September 9th in the Standard Steel Car riot at Hammond has been filed in the federal court against the Standard Steel Car Co. W. P. Lavin, administrator of the estate of Kaish, is plaintiff in the suit. At the time of the strike Mr. Lavin was business agent for the Electrical Workers Union.
The complaint sets out the details of the trouble between the Standard Steel Car Co. and its employees during the long strike last summer which culminated in the riot of the morning of September 9th in which three men were killed and a number injured when fired upon by police of the city and the car company. The complaint charges that Kaish was killed by the guards which were in the employ of the Standard Steel Car Co. For this reason the company is asked to pay \$10,000 damages.
Kaish left a widow and five small children. It is understood that similar suits are to be filed soon by Mr. Lavin in behalf of the estates of Stanley Crowe and Lawrence Dudek, who were also killed that morning.

WOOD INCREASES HIS LEAD

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
TRENTON, N. J., April 30.—Official figures today further increased Gen. Wood's lead over Senator Johnson in Tuesday's primary. In Camden Co., where the Johnson forces intend to demand a recount, the official figures gave Gen. Wood five more votes than the unofficial figures.
Complete unofficial returns place Gen. Wood's lead over Senator Johnson as approximately 1,200 for the entire state.

RUHR DISTRICT SITUATION SERIOUS

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
LONDON, April 30.—The situation in Ruhr district of Germany was described in dispatches from Berlin today as being serious. A quantity of arms has been discovered at Rugen, tiny island off the North German coast in the Baltic. Rugen is a part of the province of Pomerania.

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Four Speeches For Lowden On Saturday

Hammond, Indiana Harbor, Gary and Crown Point to Hear Illinois Governor.

The tour of Gov. Frank O. Lowden of Illinois into Lake county which was put off last Saturday by reason of his illness will take place tomorrow and his managers have mapped out a busy day for him. He will leave Chicago at 10 o'clock in the morning and will make his first address at Indiana Harbor at noon under the auspices of the McKinley Club. He will be tendered a luncheon at noon at the Lyndora Hotel in Hammond. From thence he will be taken to Crown Point, where he will speak to the voters at 2:30 at Central Music Hall. He will return to Hammond, where at 5 o'clock he will make an address in Unity Hall. A reception and dinner will be given in his honor at the Lyndora Hotel and from thence he will be rushed to Gary for a big night meeting at Armory Hall.

JOHNSON WINNER IN STRAW VOTE

Following is the result of a straw ballot taken yesterday in one department of the Standard Steel Car Co. of Hammond, in which 865 employees participated:

Johnson	442
Wood	59
Harding	55
Lowden	55
Hoover	53
Coolidge	1

The Johnson vote was practically double the total vote cast for all the other candidates.
Following the luncheon at the Country Club at Hammond, the senator will be conducted to the Hotel Mer, where a public reception will be held in his honor. All of his friends are invited to drop in and meet him. The reception will last from 6 to 6:45 o'clock.
The mass meeting at which Johnson is to speak will be held at the big warehouse of the Wolf Manufacturing Co. As the place is new to many Hammond people a band has been engaged to lead the crowd to the warehouse and signs will mark the way. Numerous lights have been secured to furnish safety in leaving the grounds after dark as construction work is still under way around the building and care will be necessary.
The big room will accommodate close to 5,000 people and seats have been arranged for the majority of these. The room is well lighted and special stage lights have also been provided. The hall will be open at 6:30 o'clock and Senator Johnson is scheduled to arrive there and start speaking immediately at 7 o'clock. His speech will cover practically an hour, after which he will be rushed to Gary, where he is to speak at 8:30 o'clock at the Gary theatre.

As he speaks at only two places in the county many of the smaller towns in the south part of the county are arranging to send large delegations. Some will come to the Hammond meeting others plan to come to Gary, depending upon transportation facilities.

HARTMAN SALE RAIN OR SHINE ON SATURDAY

Regardless of the condition of the weather tomorrow, Gottlin, Meyn and Hastings, Inc., announce that their big sale of "Hartman's Gardens" will take place as advertised. This site is one of the old land parks of Lake County and was purchased by the present owners from William Hartman, a pioneer resident of Lake County and who farmed this tract up to recent years. They have subdivided it into garden sites 100x135 feet and are selling on easy payments. They will place a building restriction of \$2,000 on all garden sites and also lay out a 25 foot building line. The Kennedy avenue frontage will be sold for residential sites also. As the result of the development, Hessville has taken on quite a stir and Gottlin, Meyn and Hastings, Inc., announce that a great many of the inquiries are coming from East Chicago and Whiting and practically every prospective purchaser intends building at some future date. There is very little speculative inquiry. This will bring to Hessville probably one hundred new families and as soon as the municipal status of Hessville is decided upon by the Supreme court, steps will be taken to provide electricity, sewerage and cement walks for the entire town. Two new churches have been built in Hessville within the last six months. At the price these garden sites are being offered, it makes an average cost of \$70 for a 25 foot unit which is considered a very low price.

SUGAR SEIZED IN FEDERAL RAID
(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
OMAHA, Neb., April 30.—Federal officials early today raided storage warehouses here and seized 348,000 pounds of sugar valued at \$22,000. The sugar was owned by retail dealers and the raids followed information obtained by the government that the sugar was being held for speculation.

COMMISSION APPROVES RATE

(SPECIAL TO THE TIMES)
WHITING, Ind., April 30.—The increased water rates recently adopted by the Whiting city council were approved today by the Public Service Commission. The Commission also approved \$50,000 bond issue for completion of filtration plant.

Senator Hiram Johnson Who Speaks Tonight In Hammond and Gary



Coming to Gary from Michigan City at 2 o'clock, where he addressed a large meeting just before noon, Senator Hiram Johnson of California, candidate for the Republican presidential nomination, arrived in Hammond this afternoon to present his side of the case in the hot fight which is being conducted in Lake county before the primary.
Senator Johnson was taken in charge by the reception committee headed and escorted to the Country Club for a little relaxation before taking up the strenuous duties of the evening, which include speeches in both Hammond and Gary, to be followed by a jump to the south end of the state where he winds up his Indiana campaign. The "I'm for Hiram" Club in Gary gave him a rousing ovation when he arrived.
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5 P.M. NEWS FLASHES

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LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 30.—Judge Evans, in the federal court here today, held the Lever food control act a war-time measure to be unconstitutional.

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INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE
CHICAGO, April 30.—Miss Barbara Wood, daughter of General Leonard Wood, today applied for a passport to France. She explained that she is going there as an automobile truck driver in the reconstruction work.

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INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE
NEW YORK, April 30.—The stock market closed strong today. Government bonds unchanged; railway and other bonds steady.

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WASHINGTON, April 30.—A report of the peace resolution passed by the house recently was favorably reported to the senate this afternoon by the senate foreign relations committee by a vote of 3 to 6.

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INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE
NEW YORK, April 30.—The Pennsylvania railroad is planning to acquire sole ownership of the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis branch, it was revealed in court here today.

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INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE
LONDON, April 30.—Lenine and Trotsky have issued an appeal to Soviet Russia to mobilize against the Poles who are now threatening Kiev, according to a Moscow wireless dispatch to the admiralty today.

The appeal stated that the Poles were being backed by French gold.

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What Will The Radicals Do May 1st?

(BULLETIN)
Police in the cities of the Calumet region have had their attention directed to a sensational radical pamphlet circulated among the working men of the region calling for a demonstration on May Day—the anniversary of last year's rioting. The document is one of the most lurid ever circulated in the region and indicates that preparations are going on for a big demonstration.
The police noted after United States agents and States Attorney Hoynes transmitted reports to Chief of Police Gary that the "Reds" intended to begin a "carnival of assassination" on May Day.
The department has been widely scattered to protect industries against lawlessness and to thwart plots, which the attorney-general states have been made on the lives of state and federal officers.
The government's full power will be exerted to shield public officials and citizens against lawlessness. Attorney Palmer said today. The attorney-general stated that information concerning the alleged plots and program of violence were in the hands of the department of justice in sufficient time to enable the department to throw proper safeguards about property and persons threatened.
While officials of the department were reticent as to their plans, it was learned that already agents have under strict surveillance suspected individuals and that those who have shown sympathy for organizations advocating extreme measures will be closely watched. According to officials of the department of justice extremists have extended their propaganda for May Day demonstrations into practically all large industries, although these appeals have evidently been ignored by the greater mass of the workers.

CANDIDATE GREETED BY BIG CROWDS

East Chicago, Gary and Hammond Hear Presidential Candidate Last Night.

Speaking before an audience which crowded the Gary theatre in Gary and Unity Hall in Hammond, Gen. Leonard Wood in terse, forceful and plain English explained to citizens last night his attitude toward the great national problems of the day—high cost of living, labor, foreign policy, leagues of nations, immigration, business tariff, military training, Americanism.

A filled house, with a number of women in the audience, greeted General Wood at the Gary theatre. The crowd, however, was not demonstrative, though the general was accorded hearty applause at different times during the hour which he spent in addressing the audience.

The theater was fairly well filled at four o'clock and a number remained outside until General Wood arrived five or ten minutes later. Mayor Bridges and a party from Gary accompanied the general and took chairs on the stage. No time was lost after the arrival of the speaker's party and as soon as the men were seated Charles Dyer of Hammond made a short talk of introduction after which General Wood took the floor. No other speakers were on the program and immediately after the close of the talk the audience dispersed without a demonstration of any kind.

The most popular quip of the talk was the general's statement of the League of Nations as "an American language and can soon be adopted." He advocated strict economy in individual habits of living, a building up of agriculture and foreign trade, especially in Central and South America, keeping the large industries in operation, a limitation of immigration, a reduction in the national debt and national expenses by discharge of every useless official, a small army and navy, the pay for teachers and postal employees and other federal salaries to be determined upon by the members of the American Legion.
"Much can be accomplished by legislation," he said, "but there is something of utmost importance which can not be legislated. It is the hearts of men and that is a square deal."
Gen. Wood was scheduled to speak at 8:15 in Hammond and pending his arrival, Judge Harry Olsen, of Chicago, took the platform. Judge Olsen declared that the republican party needed a leader who can draw the entire vote of the country, a man who when elected would consult his party leaders. He must be a man who does things and not necessarily a good writer or speech maker.
Summing up the candidates, Judge Olsen said that Harding and Lowden are out of the race and that the contest is now between Gen. Wood and Senator Johnson. "There will be no dark horse," he said, "for one hundred and ten million people are not going to turn from me whose ability they know and throw the responsibilities upon some man hitherto unknown. They had better use a couple boards in the first place and be done with it than follow such a course."
Held up by trains at grade crossings at a number of places on the trip from Gary to Hammond, Gen. Wood reached the hall nearly an hour behind schedule. He shortened his speech a great deal because of the lateness, but his speed with which he talked enabled him to cover the subject thoroughly. He was accorded a warm reception by the crowd as he entered and climbing upon the table he took up his subject without further introduction.
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TABOR JURY IS STILL OUT

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
PAW PAW, Mich., April 30.—The jury in the case of Mrs. Sarah L. Tabor on trial for the slaying of her daughter, Maude Tabor Vinyard, had not reached a verdict early today, after having deliberated for more than twenty hours.
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OIL OPERATOR SUICIDES

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
DALLAS, Texas, April 30.—James W. Sharp, well known oil operator, is in a hospital today suffering from what police believe is a self-inflicted bullet wound. The shooting occurred shortly after Sharp's return here from New York. He is not expected to recover.

CAN'T GET IT WHOLESAL

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
CHICAGO, April 30.—Sugar purchasers were unable to obtain the product at 32 cents a pound wholesale here today. One lot was sold for 31 cents a pound Thursday, the highest price on record.

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